

The Yampa Ranger District is filling seasonal, temporary positions for the 2012 field season. These positions are located in Yampa, CO and are available in several resource areas. Please see the following information on our open positions, the Medicine Bow Routt National Forest, the community and how to apply.

OPEN POSITIONS:

Program Area: Wilderness/Trails Length of Season: June thru Sep Housing: Available

General Duties: Maintain and preserve wildlands and trails. Must be physically fit and be willing to work and camp out in the high country in changing mountain conditions.

Announcement # Title Specific Job Duties

OCRT-462-4-TRAIL-DT Forestry Technician - Trails Clear and maintain nearly 300 miles of trail and patrol 90,000 acres of congressionally designated wilderness

Contact Person: John Anarella **Phone:** 970-638-4161 **Email:** janarella@fs.fed.us

Program Area: Campgrounds Length of Season: May thru Sep Housing: Available

General Duties: Help manage developed campgrounds and designated dispersed camping sites.

| Announcement # | Title | Specific Job Duties |
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| OCRT-462-5-REC-DT | Forestry Technician-Recreation | Duties include site and water system maintenance, |
| | | compliance checks, inventory and monitoring. |
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Program Area: Hydrology Length of Season: June thru Sep Housing: Not Guaranteed

General Duties: Assists with watershed management duties on the forest, and includes both field and office work. Requires the ability to hike, wade, lift, carry and use equipment in rugged terrain and in changing mountain conditions.

| Announcement # | Title | Specific Job Duties |
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| OCRT-1316-4-HYDRO-DT | Hydrologic Technician | Stream health and riparian vegetation surveys, water |
| | | development inventories, water quality data collection. |
| OCRT-1316-5-HYDRO-DT | Hydrologic Technician | Stream health and riparian vegetation surveys, water |
| | | development inventories, water quality data collection. |

Contact Person: Jamie Krezelok **Phone:** 970-870-2256 **Email:** jkrezelok@fs.fed.us

Program Area: Timber Length of Season: May thru Sep Housing: Available

General Duties: Assists in timber management duties on the district. Requires the ability to hike over arduous terrain in changing weather conditions, while carrying paint and tools and the willingness to work 10 hour days.

| Announcement # | Title | Specific Job Duties |
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| OCRT-462-3-GEN-DT | Forestry Technician-general | Preparing timber sales and assisting in cruising and data collection |
| OCRT-462-5-TSI-DT | Forestry Technician-timber stand improvement | Stand exam, regeneration surveys, timber cruising and some sales prep. Data gathering techniques and ability to use CSE, MS Office, and FSCruiser software. |

Contact Person: Jeremiah Zamora **Phone:** 970-638-4174 **Email:** Jeremiahzamora@fs.fed.us

Program Area: Fisheries **Length of Season:** June thru Sep **Housing:** Not Guaranteed **General Duties:** Assists with aquatic management duties on the forest, and includes primarily field work. Requires the ability to hike, wade, lift, carry and use equipment safely in rugged terrain and in mountain conditions.

| Announcement # | Title | Specific Job Duties |
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| OCRT-0404-4-FISH-DT or | Biological Technician-Fisheries | Duties include a diverse range of surveys, inventory, |
| OCRT-0404-5-FISH-DT | | monitoring, restoration, and partnership activities. |
| OCRT-0404-6-FISH-DT | Biological Technician-Fisheries | Duties include a diverse range of surveys, inventory, |
| | | monitoring, restoration, and partnership activities. |

Contact Person: Rick Henderson **Phone #:** 970-870-2219 **Email:** rhenderson01@fs.fed.us

Program Area: Range **Length of Season:** May thru Sep **Housing:** Available **General Duties:** Assist with rangeland management duties and includes both field and office work. Requires basic plant identification skills, and willingness to use horses/mules for riding/packing and herbicides for weed treatment.

| Announcement # | Title | Specific Job Duties |
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| OCRT-455-3-RANGE-DT | Range Aide | Vegetation surveys; noxious weed mapping, monitoring and chemical treatment; range improvement and allotment inspections. Maintain and construct fencing. |
| OCRT-455-4-RANGE-DT or OCRT-455-5-RANGE-DT | Range Technician | Vegetation surveys; noxious weed mapping, monitoring and chemical treatment; range improvement and allotment inspections. Maintain and construct fencing. |

Contact Person: Doug Myhre **Phone #:** 970-638-4178 **Email:** dmyhre@fs.fed.us **Program**

Program Area: Wildlife **Length of Season:** June thru Sep **Housing:** Available **General Duties:** Assist with biological analysis duties and includes both field and office work. Knowledge of western birds, mammals, plants and amphibians helpful.

| Announcement # | Title | Specific Job Duties |
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| OCRT-404-4-WLDLF-DT (2 students) | Biological Technician-Wildlife | Conducts wildlife surveys, locating animals by sight and |
| | | sound. Records occupancy, status and vegetation data. |
| OCRT-404-6-WLDLF-DT | Biological Technician-Wildlife | Crew Leader. Develops sampling and data collection |
| | | methods. Collects, analyzes, and reports biological and |
| | | physical data. Wildlife education & habitat projects. |

Contact Person: Melissa Dressen Phone #: 970-638-4177 Email: mdressen@fs.fed.us



ABOUT THE FOREST:The Medicine Bow and Routt National Forests encompass nearly 3 million acres in Northeast Wyoming and north central Colorado. Of that area, the Yampa Ranger District covers about 394,000 acres of mixed terrain. Elevations on the district range from about 5,000 feet to over 12,000 feet. Vegetation varies from sage brush and grass meadows to aspen and mixed conifer forests. The Yampa Ranger District is home to the Flat Tops Trail Scenic Byway and the headwaters of the Yampa River. Resource programs include wildlife, hydrology, recreation, wilderness, timber, fire and fuels, range, and interpretation. More information on the forests and the Yampa Ranger District is on our website at: http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/mbr/home

ABOUT THE COMMUNITY: Yampa is a small ranching town with an average population of 400 people year round. At an elevation of 7, 892 feet, Yampa is commonly referred to as the "Gateway to the Flat Tops". The scenic Yampa Valley is surrounded by the Flat Tops and Gore Mountain Ranges. Summer temperatures typically range from mid 50s to mid 80s fahrenheit. Popular outdoor activities include camping, hiking, bird watching, horseback riding, mountain biking, canoeing, and ATV and dirt bike riding. Larger towns in the area include Oak Creek, 10 miles to the north and Steamboat Springs, 32 miles to the north. Area activities include local festivals and free concerts.



HOW TO APPLY: Interested parties may apply online through www.avuedigitalservices.com by 03/2/12 using the applicable job announcement #(s) listed above. Applicants must be sure to choose Yampa, CO as a preferred location in Avue. Qualified applicants will be referred to the hiring contact. If you are interested in applying thru STEP (Student Temporary Employment Program), or would like more information, please contact the listed hiring Contact Person.

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